

MOUNT VERNON MASON'S  
BEQUEATHED GIBBS' HOME

Mount Vernon, Mo., Jan. 31.—The beautiful Gibbs mansion here and \$10,000 in cash was bequeathed to the Masonic lodge in the will of Mrs. Mary Gibbs, who died Saturday at Rochester, Minn.

The lawn surrounding the home is to be converted into a city park, the will provides, and the \$10,000 is to go toward the erection of a Masonic temple to be built at a cost of not less than \$20,000.

With the death of Mrs. Gibbs, widow of Norman Gibbs, wealthy attorney, who died here ten years ago, the \$750,000 estate will be divided among heirs. When Mr. Gibbs died he left a will that was drawn in such a manner that the estate could not be divided. The estate consists largely of land and is said to be one of the largest in southwest Missouri.

## FOR FARMERS

You don't leave your rig in the middle of the road and go to a fencepost to read a sale bill do you? Then don't expect the other fellow to do it.

Put an ad in this paper. Then, regardless of the weather, the fellow you want to reach reads your announcements while seated at his fire-side.

If he is a prospective buyer you'll have him at your sale. One extra buyer often pays the entire expenses of the ad, and its a poor ad that won't pull that buyer.

An ad in this paper reaches the people you are after. Bills may be a necessity, but the ad is the thing that does the business. Don't think of having a special sale without using advertising space in this paper.—Journal-Banner, Piedmont, Mo.

"The only real failure is the quitter."

"Some men pocket a loss when advertising would let them bank gains."

"Advertising supplies the combination to the safe in which the most precious secrets are kept."

## \$2000 ROBBERY AT NEOSHO

Some time last night thieves broke a window on the north side of the Haas Wholesale Grocery, entered the building, unfasted the doors at the east end of the warehouse, drove a truck inside and stole and hauled away over \$2000 worth of cigarettes, smoking and chewing tobacco. They carried the goods down from the fourth floor and brought down probably \$1000 worth more than they could load on the truck.

So far there is no clue. Tracks of the truck show it to have been a small one, probably a Ford.—Neosho Democrat, Jan. 29.

Mrs. Dave Bayler, of Purdy, came Monday morning, to visit her nephew Merrell Woods, who is recovering from pneumonia.

Miss Mattie Montgomery, of Peirce City, came Friday morning and visited over Sunday with her friend, Miss Blanche Gillioz.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Carmichael and baby, of Sarcoxie, visited last week with Mrs. Carmichael's sister, Mrs. A. Doennig, and family.

Mrs. Pansy Foudray who is employed at the cigar factory at Aurora, spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. Vermillion.

Miss Nelle Smartt, of Fayetteville, Ark., was the week's end guest of her father, A. P. Smartt, manager of the Durnell Dry Goods company.

Mrs. D. M. Richards and grand-son, Clyde Baughar, Jr., returned home Monday morning from Kansas City and Central, Missouri, where they visited daughters of Mrs. Richard's. They have been away six weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Wormington and daughter Deane and Mrs. Leo Leckie, of Neosho, drove here Saturday and visited over Sunday with J. H. Wormington and family. Miss Bertha Jeffries returned home with them Sunday evening, for a short visit.

Frank Fairman, of Bentonville, Ark., visited A. P. Smartt between trains, Sunday, on his way to Springfield.

Matt Jones, of Aurora, was in town on business Monday. Mr. Jones recently sold his farm north of Monett and is anxious to secure some more land close to this place.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Pfeiff and son, Billie Boy, of Springfield, came yesterday morning to spend Sunday and Monday with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Boehm at their country home, "Pleasant View."

Mrs. M. H. Baldwin, of Wichita, Kan., arrived Monday morning, called here by the illness of her sister, Mrs. Henry Bounous. They will take Mrs. Bounous to Barnes hospital at St. Louis, tonight.

Aroma Strawberry Plants for sale, \$4.00 per thousand, delivered at Monett. Address J. A. Bauer, Judsonia, Ark., or see or phone J. J. Lauderdale, Monett, Mo. No orders for less than 3000 plants will be accepted at this price. Advise that you order early as demand is heavy.

DOROTHY HAXEL DIES  
OF HEART TROUBLE

Dorothy May Haxel, the ten-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Haxel, died at 3:13 o'clock Tuesday morning, February 1. Her death was caused by leakage of the heart, with which she had been afflicted for five years.

The little girl went to school the first of the term, but had been ill for the past month and confined to her bed the greater part of the time.

Funeral services were held at the home, 416 County street at 4 o'clock Tuesday afternoon.

The family will leave here at 5:45 o'clock, Wednesday morning, for Chanute, Kansas, where interment will be made.

Dorothy was born at Monett, March 3, 1910. She was a very pretty and bright child and very attractive and lovable. She is survived by her parents and two brothers.

## BIRTHDAY PARTY

Wilma and Pauline McKenna entertained a number of their friends Saturday in honor of their birthday. Refreshments were served to the following: Bertha and Jewell Davis, Charlie Angus, Pauline Balden, Mildred Steele, Esther Vermillion, Gertrude and Lavona Carmack, Marie and Henrietta Dieterich, Lucile, Mary and Della Wallner, Lois and Katherine Roberson, Neva Shepherd, Margaret, Wilma and Pauline McKenna, Helen Stark, Marie McKenna, Billy Dieterich, Clyde, Leonard and Lisle Cox, James, Eugene, Paul and Harold Wallner, Dale Shepherd, Delmer Wimsatt, Ed and Louis Reithmiller, Carl Davis, and Mrs. J. W. Roberson. They received many presents.

## WILSON REFUSES

Washington, Jan. 31.—Recommendation by the department of justice that the ten-year sentence of Eugene V. Debs, a prominent Socialist leader and now serving a ten-year sentence at Atlanta for violation of the war time espionage act, be commuted, effective February 12, Lincoln's birthday, was rejected today by President Wilson and commutation refused.

The decision of the president came as no surprise because of his previous refusals to intervene in the case on the grounds that Debs had sought to handicap the government through opposition to the selective service act during the war, and that the granting of clemency in this case might induce similar tactics on the part of others in the event of another war.

Announcement of the president's decision was made a few hours after the recommendations of the department of justice had been submitted to him.

## OFFICERS RECEIVE REWARD

E. P. Matthew and John Holland, Monett officers, have received \$125 each as reward for the capture and conviction of Emel Lance, who attempted to rob the bank of Wentworth last September.

KEEPING CHILDREN OUT  
OF SCHOOLS

In these days and times, when it is acknowledged by all that a person who hasn't at least the rudiments of an education is handicapped in the struggle for a livelihood, it is hard to believe that there are parents who persist in keeping their children out of school. But such is the case, and even in progressive Lawrence county there are quite a number of such people.

Under the state compulsory school law providing for a county attendance officer, whose duty it was to see that all the children of the county were kept in regular attendance at some public or other day school, the county court appointed Mrs. J. C. Turk, thinking no doubt that she could easily look after the few cases that would need her attention. But she found the work so strenuous that she had to resign, and A. U. Hunt of Mt. Vernon has been appointed by the court to take up the work.

When the parents are brought up before the Juvenile Court all kinds of excuses are given, but so far none have been given by a Kentucky woman that you wouldn't catch her sending her children to a teacher who had no more sense than to use a "p" in spelling "later."—Lawrence Chief.

W. J. Mills, who has been very ill, was taken to the company hospital at Springfield, Sunday. His sons, Frank and Richard, accompanied him.

J. W. Thomas went to the Frisco hospital at Springfield, today, to report to the doctors. Mr. Thomas has been ill for nearly six months, and was in the hospital a part of that time.

Mr. Brady, of Carthage, was here today to make repairs on a Frisco pump.

Engineer J. M. Mulhall, of Ft. Scott, Kansas is visiting in the city and looking after his grocery store.

Engineer Theo. Frossard is laying off on account of slight injuries.

HILL WILL PRESENT  
NEEDS OF COLLEGE

Teachers College President to Appear Before Legislators Tonight.

Springfield, Feb. 1.—The reasonableness of the request filed by the Southwest Missouri State Teachers college board of regents for an appropriation of \$937,000 for the biennial period of 1921-1922 will be presented to the appropriations committee of the state legislature tonight by Dr. Clyde M. Hill, president of the college. Dr. Hill left for Jefferson City last night. The amount asked includes \$437,000 to be used to maintain the college for two years and \$500,000 to be used in the erection of a modern training school building and a science building on the college campus.

Dr. Hill was summoned to Jefferson City by the appropriation committee to give full information on the needs of the college before the committee makes its recommendation to the legislature.

Southwest Missouri State Teachers college has the largest attendance of any Missouri state teachers college the attendance during 1919-1920 exceeding 2,000. The attendance this year is still greater. The attendance at the local college exceeds that of any school maintained by the state with the exception of the University of Missouri.

BARN DESTROYED BY FIRE 800  
STRAWBERRY CRATES BURN

The large barn on the farm of J. J. Lauderdale residing one mile east of town, was totally destroyed by fire Tuesday morning. A large quantity of feed and about 2200 strawberry crates were also destroyed.

No clue has been found as to how the fire originated, but it is generally supposed that a tramp carelessly set it on fire by dropping a lighted match or cigar. Black's bloodhounds were set on the tracks, and followed them from the Lauderdale house to the barn and from there to the Frisco tracks east of town. A train leaving early this morning is supposed to have carried the tramp out of town.

SAXE WILL BE IN NEW  
QUARTERS MARCH 1

In an interview with E. F. Saxe, owner of the Saxe Market, he stated that he expected to be in his own building, west of the Callaway Furniture store, by March 1. He has bought a 12x12 foot refrigerator with opal light front, and a Hussman display counter, and they have a four ton refrigerator plant. The fixtures are the best that can be purchased, and Mr. Saxe intends to give the people of Monett a clean, sanitary, and one of the best markets in the state.

He is now operating a very up-to-date minute market, carrying, besides meat, a full line of market products, and in the new building, which is much larger, he will enlarge his stock.

## CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank our many friends who so kindly assisted during the illness and death of our beloved son and brother, Perry Smith, and for the beautiful floral offerings given by the B. of R. T. and other friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Smith and Family.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Smith and Family.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Ridpath.

E. N. Shipman, of Kansas City, writes that his new address is 1209 Cherry street. He says: "I don't want to miss a single issue of The Times as long as I am a subscriber. A man who won't subscribe to his home paper is a piker."

RAILROAD MANAGER SAYS  
NASH'S SALVE SAVED

WIFE'S LIFE Swears That It Saved Him From FLU Last Year, Too.

Last year when the flu was reaping its awful toll and many died for lack of proper remedies, Mr. G. W. L. Brown, manager of the Cache Valley Railroad, Sengewick, Ark., saved his own life and his wife's life by using Nash's Croup and Pneumonia Salve. Mr. Brown says he will take an oath to this.

He says that both of them had the flu and were threatened with pneumonia and the only thing that relieved them was Nash's Salve used according to directions.

Nash's Salve is made expressly for the treatment of colds, croup and pneumonia. It also quickly relieves catarrh, asthma, bronchitis and kindred ailments. Contains those good-old remedies like Menthol, Camphor, Oil of Pine, Oil of Sassafras, and Oil of Eucalyptus. It is applied externally and acts both externally and internally. In case of bad head or chest colds, rub on chest and swallow a little about the size of a pea.

It is a simple, old-fashioned remedy, but mighty effective. Sold by nearly all druggists in 30 cent and 60 cent packages. Keep it in your house for emergencies. Sold by Logan D. McKee.



GENUINE  
"BULL"  
DURHAM  
tobacco makes 50  
good cigarettes for  
10c

## ADDRESSES MONETT

## FARM CLUB

D. M. Gause, president of the Missouri Farmers' Association, is in town and addressed the members of the association in this district at the National Bank Assembly room at 1:30 o'clock this afternoon.

He will speak at Purdy tonight, at Exeter and Cassville tomorrow, and Seligman and Wheaton Thursday.

MR. AND MRS. RALPH  
SAXE ENTERTAIN

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Saxe entertained a few friends Monday evening at their home at No. 5 Maple Terrace. The evening was spent in playing cards and dancing. Refreshments of sandwiches and cocoa were served to Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Blackshear, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Conley, Mr. and Mrs. Sidney James, Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Davis, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Huffman, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Cochran, Mrs. B. A. Jones and Mrs. Johnnie White, of Wichita, Kan.

## B. OF L. E. ENTERTAINED

The G. I. A. very pleasantly entertained the members of B. of L. E. Monday evening with a six o'clock dinner at the O. R. C. hall, corner of Fourth street and Broadway. The B. of L. E. presented the G. I. A. with a three burner Perfection oil stove and as this was their regular meeting afternoon, and we knew they had a large class for initiation, we felt this was our chance of really showing the Brothers how much we appreciated the gift. It was a jolly bunch that gathered around the tables laden with good things to eat. The evening was spent in music and dancing. Oh yes, Brothers, we will come again, since you enjoyed the occasion so much.

No. 1 Prairie Hay, 55 cents per bale at Farmers' Exchange. 806t

## FAREWELL SURPRISE PARTY

A farewell surprise party was held for Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Willis January 25, as they were just departing for their new home at Canon City, Colo.

Quite a number of young people gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Willis and spent the evening. These present were Mr. and Mrs. George Wiant, Mr. and Mrs. George Sprouse, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Dunning, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Willis, Misses Ruth Lance, Flossie Love, Myrtle, Jensen, Bessie Hatten, Messrs. Bert Lance, Afe Jensen, Benton Fly, Chas. Hatten, Clyde Scott, Claud Scott, Otis Adecock and Tom Dunning.

The party enjoyed the evening until a late hour. Refreshments of apple sauce, whipped cream and cake were served.

## ONE PRESENT.

## WOMEN WORTH \$4,000 A YEAR

Omaha, Neb., January 31.—Farm women are worth \$4,000 a year, according to Miss Margaret Fedde, chairman of the home economics department of the University of Nebraska.

"She gets the meals three times a day, and seven days a week," Miss Fedde told a meeting of the Nebraska farm bureau federation at Beatrice, "for which, if you hire the work done, you must pay \$10 a week. Washing and ironing would be \$2.50 a day for two or three days a week. There is an average of nineteen days a year sickness on each farm, and acting in the capacity of a nurse the farm wife should get \$25 a week. As an assistant in farm work she should be paid at least \$20 a month; for cleaning two days a week, \$5; sewing two days a week at \$3 a day and other details \$6 a week.

"Total this and it makes \$4,000 a year."

Fresh eggs, 45 cents a dozen at Farmers' Exchange. w221t

M. J. Hale was a business visitor in Joplin, Wednesday.

Miss Irene Browning is quite ill at the home of her parents east of town.

Otis Burg, platform helper, is visiting his father, Ben Burg, at Purdy, who is ill. Arch Long is relieving him.

M. V. Ellis has bought Mrs. Kingery's ten-acre tract near Arnold Crapel and is building a cottage on it.

Mrs. Hannah Miller and son, Frederick, of Peirce City, were among the out of town visitors, Tuesday.

Mrs. S. F. Landon, of Canon City, Colo., spent Tuesday with her friends, Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Haymes. She departed Wednesday morning for Ft. Scott, Kansas. She will return home in May.

Mrs. J. C. Williams and children, Thelma and Roy, returned Saturday night from Ft. Worth, Texas, where they spent the fall and a part of the winter. Mrs. Williams, who went there for the benefit of her health, is very much improved. The children entered school here Monday morning.

CAMP FIRE MEETING  
AT EPWORTH LEAGUE

Were you out to the camp fire meeting of the Epworth League of the Methodist church Sunday evening? We spent a very pleasant time with our neighbors in South America. We hope Roxie Gulick as leader and her staff will show us again sometime. The violin solo, South American melodies, played by Peyton Gulick in an adjoining room was very beautiful and impressive.

Thirty were present. We did not hear of anyone burning their fingers as they removed the contents of the boiling pots to their mouths. Slips of paper with Bible verses were also taken out of the boiling pot and read, none the worse for their having been boiled.

Mrs. Britain and George Blackwell will lead the meeting next time. Be on time.

## U. D. C. BUSINESS MEETING

The United Daughters of Confederacy held their regular business meeting Saturday afternoon at the home of Mrs. M. J. Hale. The hostesses were Mrs. Hale, Mrs. Don Williams and Mrs. Hal Kirk. The meeting opened with a business session. Mrs. John O'Connell, who has been president of the Society, resigned, and Mrs. Wesley Bradford was elected in her place. The following program was given and was very interesting:

Devotional.

Hymn.

"The South Tribute to Stonewall Jackson," by Mrs. Kirk.

General Lee, Poem, by Mrs. Clark Edwards.

General Lee's Investment, by Mrs. Don Williams.

Following the business session and program, refreshments of sandwiches and hot coffee were served by the hostesses.

GIVES PARTY FOR  
SIXTH BIRTHDAY

Helen Louise Doenig celebrated her sixth birthday Saturday afternoon by giving a party to her little friends.

Those present were Margaret Willis, Helen Rittenhouse, Elizabeth Burkhardt, Horace and Ima Jones, Marguerite McCracken, Louise Callaway, Laura Jane Callaway, Letha and Magnolia Britain, Esther Hobbs, Mildred, Edwina, and Mary Margaret Hagler, Fulton J. and June Smith, Virginia May and Ruth Buchanan, Joe Doennig, Bill and John Higgins, Eugene and Wayne McCracken, James and Raymond King, Fred K. Harri-man, Helen Roberson and Miss Flett.

Mrs. Doennig was assisted in serving ice cream, wafers and candy, by Mrs. Buchanan and Mrs. Amon Hagler.

Mrs. D. B. Kingrey has sold her cottage in Forest Park to Joe Jenkins, who will move to Monett from his farm. The property is that formerly owned by Mrs. Murphy.

Fordson  
ANNOUNCEMENT

Mr. Edsel B. Ford, President of the Ford Motor Company, gives out the following statement: "The price of the FORDSON Tractor has been reduced from \$790.00 to \$625.00, effective immediately.

"This price change has been made possible through lower costs of materials and the fact that we are now located in our new Tractor Plant with greatly increased economic manufacturing facilities in immediate connection with our foundry and machine shops and large blast furnaces where iron is poured directly from the ore, giving us maximum efficiency with the power to reduce the cost of production, and down comes the price in line with our policy to market our products at the lowest possible figure without in any way affecting our high standard of quality.

"We are particularly pleased in being able to bring about this big reduction in price at this time because the farmer needs all the help we can give him and this cut in price will be the means of placing a valuable power unit within the reach of practically every one of them, not to mention industrial and commercial concerns which likewise have benefited through its use and are already realizing, to a much greater extent, its value as a power and hauling unit. But particularly has the FORDSON Tractor proved a most valuable factor in the saving of farm labor, at the same time increasing the per acre crop yield as well as making possible a utilization of previously uncultivated land, to say nothing of removing no end of drudgery.

"There is no question that the use of machine power on the farm is the greatest advancement made in the development of agriculture, not only in money saving and money making results, as well as raising the standards of living on the farm to a much higher level, but because of its proved value in making every type of land more productive, and consequently our desire to place the FORDSON within the reach of all.

"THERE IS NO CHANGE IN THE PRESENT FORD CAR AND TRUCK PRICES, which are already at the lowest possible figure and now with rock bottom reached on the tractor price a further reduction in price of either the Car, Truck or Tractor is out of the question; in fact, the big price cuts have been made in anticipation of continuous maximum production and increases may be necessary before long if a larger volume of new business is not obtained. Therefore, present prices of Ford products cannot be guaranteed against possible increases."

Ask for the book "The Fordson at Work," which will be supplied free of cost. Let us demonstrate the value of the Fordson on your farm, in your factory, lumber yard, coal yard, or in any general hauling of power work you have to do and let us have your order for a Fordson. Cash or Terms.

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